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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Responsive to the Office COMMUNICATION mailed September 07, 2004, and in further response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed August 13, 2003, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the remarks set forth herein. A response to this Office Communication is due October 07, 2004. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.